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J. Currie Bechtol, Treasurer
Frontier PAC
10000 Memorial Drive, Suite 600
Houston, TX 77024

OCT 10 2001

Identification Number: C00342766

Reference: 12 Day Pre-General Report (10/1/00-10/18/00)

Dear Treasurer:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. The review raised questions concerning certain information contained in the report(s). An itemization follows:

-Schedule B of your report (pertinent portion(s) attached) discloses a contribution(s) which appears to exceed the limits set forth in the Act. 2 U.S.C. §441a(a) precludes a non-multicandidate political committee and its affiliates, from making a contribution to a candidate for federal office in excess of \$1,000 per election. Please refer to the Campaign Guide for information on how a committee qualifies for multicandidate status.

If the contribution(s) in question was incompletely or incorrectly disclosed, you should amend your original report with clarifying information. If you have made an excessive contribution, you should notify the recipient and request a refund of the amount in excess of \$1,000 and/or notify the recipient in writing of your redesignation of the contribution. In the best interest of your committee, all refunds and redesignations should be made within sixty days of the treasurer's receipt of the contribution(s).

If your committee has met the criteria for multicandidate status, please file FEC FORM 1M "Notification of Multicandidate Status" with the Commission. The treasurer must file FEC FORM 1M prior to making a contribution of more than \$1,000 per candidate per election. 11 CFR §102.2(a)(3)

Please inform the Commission of your corrective action immediately in

writing and provide a photocopy of the refund or redesignation request sent to the recipient committee(s). In addition, any refunds should be disclosed on Schedule A supporting Line 16 of the report covering the period during which they are received. Any redesignations should be disclosed as memo entries on Schedule B supporting Line 23 of the report covering the period during which the redesignation is made. 11 CFR §110.1(b)

Although the Commission may take further legal action regarding the excessive contribution(s), your prompt action in obtaining a refund and/or redesignating the contribution(s) will be taken into consideration.

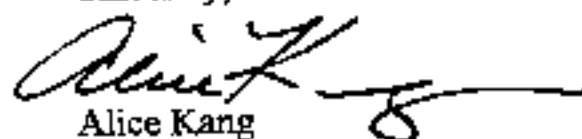
-Schedule B discloses a contribution(s) towards the general election campaign of a Presidential candidate(s). Please note that contributions to Presidential candidates are governed by specific regulations. Please refer to the following explanation of Presidential election financing, and then amend your report to clarify this contribution(s).

All Presidential primary elections held during an election year are considered one election for the purpose of the contribution limits. A multi-candidate committee, therefore may give only \$5,000 to a Presidential candidate's primary campaign, regardless of how many separate state Presidential primaries the candidate participates in. 11 CFR §§110.1(j)(1) and 110.2(i)(1)

In the general election, contributions to Presidential campaigns are not permitted if the candidate receives public funds. (An exception: Political committees may contribute to a publicly funded Presidential nominee's "compliance fund." A compliance fund is used solely for legal and accounting expenses incurred in complying with the election law. Gifts to compliance funds are considered contributions and are subject to usual per-candidate, per-election limits.) 11 CFR §9003.3(a)

A written response or an amendment to your original report(s) correcting the above problem(s) should be filed with the Federal Election Commission within fifteen (15) days of the date of this letter. If you need assistance, please feel free to contact me on our toll-free number, (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 1, then press 2 to reach the Reports Analysis Division). My local number is (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,



Alice Kang

Reports Analyst

Report Analysis Division

SCHEDULE B

ITEMIZED DISBURSEMENTS

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NAME OF COMMITTEE (in Full)

Frontier PAC

A. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code Friends of Senator Craig Thomas P. O. Box 1580 Casper, WY 82600	Purpose of Disbursement Campaign Contribution Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	Date (month, day, year) 10/5/00	Amount of Each Disbursement This Period \$1000.00
B. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code Tiahrt for Congress 2250 N. Rock Rd. #118A Wichita, KS 67226	Purpose of Disbursement Campaign Contribution Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	Date (month, day, year) 10/5/00	Amount of Each Disbursement This Period \$1000.00
C. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code Cubin for Congress P. O. Box 4657 Casper, WY 82604	Purpose of Disbursement Campaign Contribution Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	Date (month, day, year) 10/5/00	Amount of Each Disbursement This Period \$1000.00
D. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code Bush for President P. O. Box 1902 Austin, TX 78767-1902	Purpose of Disbursement Campaign Contribution Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	Date (month, day, year) 10/5/00	Amount of Each Disbursement This Period \$1000.00
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B. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code Culberson for Congress 13129 Memorial Drive Houston, TX 77079	Campaign Contribution Disbursement for: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	4/4/00	\$1000.00
C. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code Friends of Senator Craig Thomas P. O. Box 1580 Casper, WY 82600	Campaign Contribution Disbursement for: <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	4/5/00	\$1000.00
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